CARE OF THE CITY SCHOOLS.

IMPROVEMENTS TO COST \$62,000.

NEW COMMISSIONERS NAMED BY THE MAYOR-THREE HOLIDAYS IN ONE WEEK.

At the meeting of the Board of Education yesterday afternoon Commissioner Wood presided, in the absence of President Walker, who had been called away to Vermont by the dangerous illness of his mother. The City Superintendent reported for the month that the enrolment of scholars showed an increase of 904 over over the same month last year, and that there was a decrease of 1,344 in the average daily attendance.

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A communication was read from the Mayor announcing the appointment as Commissioners for a term of three years from January 1, 1884, of David Wetmore, Stephen A. Walker, F. W. Devoe and Gilbert H. Crawford to succeed themselves, and of Gustav Schwab, agent of the North German Lloyd Steamship Company; Hosea B. Perkins, School Inspector in the Seventh District; and Henry Schmidt, a lawyer, living at No. 29 Vandam-st, to succeed Commissioners West, Traud and Coudert. All the School Inspectors whose terms expire this year were reappointed for terms of three years. They are Julius Berliner, First District; Chaffes Dexheimer, Second District; W. C. Smith, Third District; Henry Allen, Fourth District; R. A. Cunningham. Pfifth District; Gilbert M. Speir, Ir. Sixth District; Jacob Fleischhauer, Seventh District; and Elmer A. Allen, Eighth District;

The application of Miss M. L. Waring, of Primary School No. 4, for an excuse for absence on the first three days of the school year, on account of the wreck of the steamship on which she was returning from Europe, was refused by a vote of 8 to 7. The Committee on Teachers reported adversely to Miss Waring because she had not presented a physician's certificate that she was ill on the three days of her absence.

It was voted to close the schools on Evacuation Day, all the Commissioners voting in favor of it except Mr. Wood, who said to a reporter afterward in explanation of his vote that he thought that two holidays, Thanksgiving Day and the day following, were enough for one week.

The following trustees were appointed to fill vacancies: Charles F. Naething in the Second Ward, Henry Hein in the Third, and George Jones in the Hought find the most of the Day of the Board of Health's recommendations, and the Board in regard to improvements in the plumbing, ve

THE HERALD'S APPLICATION DENIED.

ONLY THREE ALDERMEN IN FAVOR OF FURTHER OBSTRUCTING THE STREETS.

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The Board of Aldermen yesterday considered the adverse report of the committee allowing The Ilevaid to piace news-stands on the sidewalks within fifty feet of any clevated railway station. After the report had been read, Mr. Grant declared that no further delay should be had. Mr. Cochrane said that the question to be considered was how the public would be affected. He admitted that the news-dealers were an industrious set of men and entitled to praise for their efficiency in serving the public. But they propose to dictate at what price the publisher of a newspaper shall sell it to the public. This was an injustice to poor people who want to get their reading as cheaply as possible. He offered a substitute providing that all newspapers should have the same privilege as that proposed to be given The Herald.

Edward Duffy said that The Herald had undertaken a line of policy which would drive out of business a great many poor people. It was the war of a wealthy proprietor on a class of hard-working poor persons. The streets were already sufficiently obstructed. To this Mr. Cochrane replied that his substitute proposed that the stands should be within the stoop line. Mr. Duffy said that the authority to grant this was already vested in the Bureau of Permits, and there was no necessity for passing the resolution proposed by General Cochrane. President Reilly said that an ordinance passed in 1866 permitted the erection of stands within the stoop line, providing the consent of the property owner was obtained. Mr. Seaman said that the resolution, if passed, would reduce the revenue of the city.

Mr. Sheehy moved the adoption of the report opposing the granting of the privilege sought for by The Herald. A vote was first had on General Cochrane's substitute, and it was lost by a large majority. The resolution giving The Herald the privilege asked for was then defeated by the following vote:

Ayes—Carroll, Jachne and Waite.

Nays—Reilly, Cochrane, De Lacy, Edward Duffy, Michael Duffy, Farley, Finc

JUSTICE DAVIS INDIGNANT.

The trials of George E. Rood and William C. D. Rawson, indicted for homicide in connection wit the Fourth-ave, tunnel railroad disaster, were on yesterday's calendar in the Court of Oyer and Terminer. Justice Davis took his seat on the bench at 10:30 a.m. and called the case of the people against Rood. Assistant District-Attorney Requier informed better the Poyle that away in the pressure of business. 10:30 a.m. and called the case of the people against Rood. Assistant District-Attorney Requier informed Justice Davis that owing to the pressure of business upon that office, he was not ready to begin with the trial. Justice Davis denounced the negligence of the District-Attorney. "In view of the fact that there is a large amount of crime in this city at present," he said, "and that the Court of Oyer and Terminer has been in session for three weeks and only one case has been tried; the continual postponement of cases for the convenience of the District. Attorney is shameful," Justice Davis administered a severe rebuke to the people's representative. Mr. Requier replied that he thought that there was a good excuse for the delay; both branches of the Court of General Sessions are occupied with cases which took up the District-Attorney's attention so fully that he had not had time to prepare the case in question. Judge Davis stated that he did not consider the excuse satisfactory and adjourned the court until Tuesday, when the trial of Amadee Bigot, the French cook of Sixth-ave., will take place.

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Gerald Massey left his room yesterday afternoon for the first time since he was taken ill after his lecture on Friday night. He is a sufferer from bronchitis, and the cold weather of last week brought on an attack of quinsy, from which he is just recovering. He finds the American climate a trouble-some thing with which to become accustomed. Until yesterday he almost gave up the thought of lecturing, as most of the inquiries that had reached him were from places in New-England and in the morth as far west as Grand Rapids, Mich. He feared that in the state of his health he would find the cold insupportable. His intention is to traverse the conthat in the state of his health he would find the cold insupportable. His intention is to traverse the continent and leave San Francisco for Australia, where he hopes to regain his health. On his return in 1884 he expects to lecture again in this country. His appearance on Friday night was against the carnest protest of his physician, who positively forbade him to attempt to lecture again until he was better. He has written to Mr. Chickering, however, to secure the hall, if possible, for two evenings after his return from New-England. He expressed himself as much aunoved by the suggestion that his illness was assumed. "It is absurd to suppose," said he, "that I would come as far as I have to lecture and then should break an engagement on a mere pretence."

MORE STORIES OF BAD WEATHER AT SEA. MORE STORIES OF BAD WEATHER AT SEA. The steamship Hammonia, which arrived from Hamburg yesterday, reports a stormy passage. On Saturday, while en the Banks, she went through a cyclone. The wind blew in a circuit from southwest to northwest, beginning at 4:20 a. m., and being highest two hours later. The Hammonia, however, passed through it safely, and the passengers showed their gratitude by making a subscription to the German Society for Resening Life in Shipwreck. They also paid the highest compliments to Captain Schwensen for the manner in which he had handled the ship.

e ship. The steamships Rialto, Amsterdam and Habsburg. The steamships Rialto, Amsterdam and Habsburg, all of which were overdue, also arrived yesterday from Europe. They report having gone through the terrific hurricane of Friday and Saturday without disaster. The brig Robert Mowe, from St. Pierre, was in the same tempest forty miles south of Shinnecock, and the heavy seas swept away all of the water-casks, broke in the cabin doors and filled the cabin with water.

QUAGMIRES IN FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET. QUAGMIRES IN FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET.

The condition of Fifty-seventh-st, between Fifth and Sixth aves, is disgraceful and dangerous. Some two years ago the street was opened for new sewers and repaired by an incompetent contractor. Since then the paving has sunk and risen until this wide thoroughfare on which front some of the most valuable houses in the city is worse than many a country road. There is a perfect quagmire about thirty feet by twenty in the centre of the road opposite Nos. 43 and 45. Several huge rocks lie around, while further toward Sixth-ave, a number of ponds full of stagnant water are to be found. On the north side, opposite No. 45 West Fifty-seventh-st, the sidewalk has caved in, and two depressions in the gutter show where more negligent work has been done. Yesterday a petition with photographs

showing the condition of the street and signed by several property-owners was lodged with the Department of Public Works.

ALFRED GOLSH'S DEATH.

SEEKING TO EXHUME HIS BODY. A CHARGE THAT HIS DEATH WAS SUSPICIOUS-VARI-

OUS COMPLICATIONS. Gustav Kobbé, a lawyer, of No. 102 Broadway, called on Dr. Nagle, at the Health Office, yesterday, and asked for a permit to exhume the body of Alfred Golsh, who died suddenly on October 18, and who was buried in the Lutheran Cemetry two days afterward. He said that he made the request in behalf of the Connecticul Life Insurance Company, of Hartford, which had issued three policies on Golsh's life, each of which was for \$1.000, two of them being in favor of Mrs. Phillipina Golsh, and the remaining one payable to Miss Minnie Romaine, of No. 52 Sixth-ave. The application for the permit, Mr. Kobbé added, was founded on a suspicion on the part of the company that Golsh had been peisoned, and that he desired to have a medical examination of the body before the policies were paid. The lawyer also erged that the Coroner's inquests in Golsh's death had been insufficient in every particular, no autopsy having been made, and the ecriticate of death assigning valvular disease of the heart as the cause of death upon mere hearsay. Dr. Nagle informed the lawyer that he would be obliged to present his case to the District Attorney, as the Lutheran Cemetery was outside of the jurisdiction of the Board of Health of this city. Mr. Kobbé passed the remainder of the day in preparing a statement of his case for Mr. McKeon, and will submit it to him to-day.

Mr. Golsh was the chief-clerk in one of the departments of the drug house of McKesson. & Robbins, in Fulton-st. He was a man of quiet life and without anything to annoy him other than some domestre troubles, the sharper pain of which he had long since forgotten. A number of years ago he married a daughter of ex. Assemblyman Radde, and a sister of L. E. G. Radde, of No. 327 East Fourteenth-st. He became the father of two children. About six years ago he was in the habit of visiting a restaurant in Hudson-st, where his in met Miss Romaine, who had abandoned her husband. The felicity of her married life was somewhat marred by the abuse which she received from her husband. The felic

FIRST AID TO THE INJURED.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SOCIETY-ENCOURAGE

ING REPORTS-OFFICERS RE-ELECTED. The Society for Instruction in First Aid to the Injured held its annual meeting at No. 6 East Four-teenth-st, yesterday, the president, John Jay, in the chair. The society consists of a central body, with branches throughout the country in the larger towns and cities. It provides for lectures, and certificates are issued to pupils passing the examinations instituted. These lectures have proved of great advantage.

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By the annual report it was shown that nearly 1,000 pupils attended the lectures last winter. All conditions of society and nearly all the professions and trades were represented in the classes. In the police class the progress shown won the commendation of the Commissioners. Other classes were formed among the employes of the New-York Central Railroad and many of the great foundries and factories. The Medical Examiner, Dr. Bowditch Morton, reported that thirty-five classes were examined, including 186 men and 211 women, a total of 307, of which 137 men and 161 women—29s in all—passed. The Treasurer's report showed the receipts to be \$1,512 24, disbursements, \$1,223 94, leaving a balance of \$288 30.

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Assistant Bishop Potter spoke of the great need of the work. The Rev. Henry Mottet, of the Church of the Holy Comaunion, thought that the instruction should include correct living physically. Charles E. Fairchild, president of the State Charities Aid Association, said that every man, and especially every one who owned property in the city, had an interest in the work. Cornelius Vanderbilt said that he was gratified at the rapid progress of the society. The chairman announced that the treasury was nearly exhausted, and that subscriptions from the public would be welcoome. Officers for the ensuing year were then re-elected as follows: John Jay, president; Commander H. H. Gorringe, vice-president; John Paton, chief treasurer; John B. Pine, chief secretary; Dr. Henry B. Sands, medical director. The old board of managers, headed by Mrs. William P. Griffin, and the medical and finance committees were also re-elected.

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Justus H. Schwab, the Socialist and the keeper of a liquor-store at No. 50. First-st., was tried before Judge Cowing yesterday on a charge of violating the Excise laws. He is a large man with an enormous head, and cultivates a fiercely communistic air by brushing upward his yellow hair and combing outward his yellow beard. Policeman McInerney, of the Seventeenth Precinct, testified that he peeped in at a window of Schwab's hquor-store after 1 o'clock on the morning of Sunday, May 20. He saw twenty or thirty men sitting about tables and drinking a brown liquid that resembled beer. The officer entered the room and found beer in the glasses and on tap behind the bar. Mr. Schwab was behind the bar in his shirt sleeves. The defendant testified that the men who were found in the store were all assisting in folding and arranging copies of Liberty, a paper published by Mr. Schwab. He was superintending the work when the policeman interfered with the progress of liberty by arresting him. He asserted that hed had sold no beer after midnight and that the liquid mentioned by the policeman was only the beer that had been left in the glasses that remained on the table. Two of his assistants corroborated the defendant's story and the jury acquitted him.

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James Devine, a liquor-dealer, of No. 144 Hesterst., was convicted of selling liquor without a license on January 19. He is an invalid and brought testimony as to his good character, but Judge Cowing sentenced him to five days in the City Prison.

Judge Cowing has found so much difficulty in trying the violations of the Excise law that he asked the District-Attorney at the close of the session whether they could not be transferred to the Court of Oyer and Terminer.

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John Fischer, experintendent in George Bechtel's brewery at Stapleton, S. I., went out shooting rabbits near Richmond, S. I., ou Tuesday. While he was walking along the road Sheriff Brown drove up in a buggy, and the two stopped to talk, Fischer saw a rabbit run across the road, and hastily attempted to raise his gun, which he had left standing with its butt on the ground, both hammers up, and the barrels loaded with large shot. A bush caught the trigger, and both barrels were discharged within a foot of Fischer's stomach. He died in a few minutes. Sheriff Brown carried the body to the County Court House, where an inquest was held.

EMPLOYERS AND WORKMEN.

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The Evening Post announced yesterday that the strike was practically over in its office and that it now had applications sufficient to fill all the vacant frames. At the office of the Union the announcement was regarded with ridicale.

The announcement was made at a meeting of the striking eigar box makers that a few of the strikers had descreted and returned to work.

A strike of the employes at Einstein's dress and cloak manufactury is again threatened, because they are required to make up cloaks by hand work, at the same price that was formerly paid for work done by machine.

NAVIGATION IMPEDED BY FOG. The usual delays and annoyances of an early morning fog were experienced by the travellers on ferries and sound boats yesterday. There was only one accident reported, however. The South Ferry boat Mineola, on her 7:40 a. m. trip from Brooklyn, came into collision with an unknown sloop in mid-stream. The sloop lost all of her head gear and drifted away before her name could be learned. The passengers on the Mineola were much excited until it was learned that the boat had suffered no damage. The Bristol did not reach her pier from Fall River until nearly noon, five hours behind her usual time. The other Sound and Hudson River boats met with similar delays. The few ocean steamships which arrived were carefully piloted past Sandy Hook, and they made their way slowly up the Bay. The outgoing steamers went as far as Sandy Hook, where they anchored until the fog broke just before sundown and then went to sea.

CHISHOLM MAINTAINS A BOLD FRONT. THE PARTING WITH HIS FAMILY-HIS CHILDREN

TO NOT KNOW HIM-HIS LAST NIGHT. The execution of John Chishelm, the Newark wife-murderer, will take place to-day at the County Jail in Newack, at about 10 a.m. The gallows has been creeted at the extreme end of the eastern corridor. It consists simply of two uprights and a crossbeam, and the condemned man will stand on the level of the floor, and be jerked up three feet by the force of a weight dropping into a pit under the floor. The executioner will be James Van Heise, the janitor of the Court House in Newark, who has officiated at several previous executions. Only thirty-five persons can witness the execution under a law of New-Jersey.

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Mr. Macomber, the father of the murdered wife, went to the jail yesterday morning accompanied by Jennie and Lillie Chisholm, the two little daughters of the prisoner. On entering the witness-room where Chisholm is confined, the children did not appear to recognize their father, and they were frightened when he kissed them. He said to the elder of the two, "Why Lilhe, don't you know me?" The child failed to recognize him and struggled to get away. Jennie, the other child, cried when her father took her up. Chisholm showed no emotion during the interterview, which lasted only a few minutes, and he said good bye to his wife's father. The prisoner received visits from his spiritual adviser and members of his family. At noon beputy-Warden Johnson said to him: "Johnny, yon are keeping up well." "Didn't I say that I would?" responded Chisholm, "and I mean to keep up until the end." At 2 o'clock the prisoner's compsel went to the jail to execute Chisholm's last will, and to have the bene filled out providing that the relations shall take the head after the execution, and not expose it to pubexecute Chismonn's last with, and to have the clother filled out providing that the relationsshall take the body after the execution, and not expose it to pub-lic view or have a public funeral, under penalty of

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At 5 o'clock the family of the murderer, consisting of his father and mother, a sister and two brothers, arrived at the jail and were taken to the witness room for a last interview.

His mother had to be carried up the stairs leading to the room in which he is confined. Chisholu bore up stolcally for awhile, but as the time for parting drew near he completely broke down and sobled bitterly. He asked that his body be conveyed to the cemetery in the hearse used in the funeral of his wife. All the family, including the prisoner, knelt down and repeated the Litany of the Saints. After remaining with Chisholm nearly an hour his relations bade him farewell and a heartrending scene ensued. Each one embraced and kissed him, and the mother was carried away in a semi-unconscious condition.

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John Jansens, a Belgian, arrived at this port on the Red Star steamship Belgenland on October 4. He went ashore at Jersey City, and in a barber's shop near the pier, he says, he was knocked down and beaten by four persons, who took his motey, trunk check and trunk keys from him. Then, marching him to a lonely place and pointing a revolver at him, they warned him not to follow them. Since then he has wandered about in a destitute condition, avoiding starvation by begging. Yesterday he was taken to the Red Star Line office in Broadway, where he told his story. Upon being conducted to Castle Garden, Secretary Jackson detailed a detective to work up the case. Jansen's trunk was found in Bernard Biglin's baggage-room undisturbed.

HOME NEWS.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS.

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Fifth Arenue Hotel—Senator J. N. Camden, of West Virginia: Andrew D. White, president of Cornell University; ex-Atterney-General Hamilton Ward, of Helmont, N. Y.; and Senator-elect J. S. Vassett, of Elmira. New-York Hotel—Congressman W. W. Laton, of Connecticut. Gitsey House—Congressman William H. Calkins, of Inchana. Holmon House—Judge T. R. Sentrem, Cornell House—Judge T. R. Westbrock, of Kingston, N. Y. Horel Remarkick—W. J. Buchanan, manager of the Hank of Montreal. Lebund Horel—Major A. S. Nicholson, United States Martine Corps.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY. Tariff reform mass meeting in Cooper Institute. Hanging of John Chicholm in Newark. Metropolitan-Manhattan Railway suit in Supreme

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Canocists' meeting at No. 907 Broadway.
The Rev. J. C. Oakley's lecture in Forsyth Street Methodist Episcopal Church.

NEW-YORK CITY.

The streets were covered with a slimy, slippery mud yesterday that caused many mishaps to man and beast.

Vendors of Evacuation Day medals, eards and sictures are doing a good business on street corners, some of them wear the old Continental uniform. The Chatham-st, policy shops have been closed by the proprietors at last, but, as one of them said esterday, "We will open next week." A Bowery lodging-house offers "a lodging for a lime, smoking tabacco, soap, towels, etc., free of

The Custom House officials yesterday seized ten

The office of the National Rifle Association, at to, 102 Williamst., was entered by burglars on uesday evening and eleven rifles were stolen.

The new church of St. Paul the Apostle, at Ninth-ive, and Fifty-ninth-st., will be open for inspection on Thanksgiving Day.

A fair is in progress in the basement of St. An-hony's Church, in Sallivan-st., for the building of a new church. The Franciscan Fathers have charge Inspector Esterbrook yesterday directed the trustees of the Deaf and Dumb Institute, at Lexington-ave, and Sixty-seventh-st., to place fire-escapes on the building.

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COMMITING A BATCH OF VAGRANTS.

In the Essex Market Police Court yesterday, forty-two tramps and vagrants, who were regular station-house fodgers, after receiving a vigorous lecture from Justice Gardner, were committed to Blackwell's Island for six months.

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Alexander Thompson, age sixty-four, was run
over and killed yesterday by a Hudson River Railroad train near Kingsbridge. He lived in Kingsbridge, and was the janitor of Grammar School No.
66. The engineman of the train said that Thompson was walking on the track and did not attempt
to get off, although the whistle was blown in time.

NATIONAL GUAPD NOTES.

Captain George Loeser has returned from a furlough to Germany and reported for duty to the commanding officer of the 11th Regiment. He was greeted by several officers on his arrival. The election returns of the 12th Regiment have been received at Brigade Headquarters with the names of John F. Boylan and Edward Knoedler for second lieutenancies.

ARMY CLATHING IN BAXTER-ST.

Eabliers overcoats are displayed in front of the "old clo" shops in Baxter-st. Occasionally a truckman or a countryman buys one, for they are cheap and warm. The original owners, however, the servants of Uncle Sam, found them costly—after a day's debauch, a few days in the guardhouse on bread and water and a loss of two months pay.

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V. K. Stevenson, jr., has sold six lots on the southeast corner of Riverside Park and Eighty-second-st. to Hirshkind & Co., for \$10,000. This sale has caused talk in West Side real estate circles because of the cheapness of the property, four of the lots being on Riverside Drive and two adjacent thereto on Eighty-second-st.

An INCENTOUS USE OF ELECTRICITY.

An electric light company in Liberty-st, displays in one of its windows an interesting exhibition of the diverse uses of electricity. A miniature waterfall descends from the top of the window and behind it gleam several incandescent electric lights. The effect is brilliant. The electricity which pumps up the water and furnishes the light is conveyed over the same wires.

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REAL ESTATE NOTES.

The Pottier and Stymus Manufacturing Company has secured a twenty-years lease of a part of the old Rutgers College Building in Fifth-ave., north of Forty-first-st., at an annual rental of \$10,000, with taxes, etc. The Rev. Richard L. Burtsell, pastor of the Church of the Nativity, has executed a formal transfer of the church edifice on the southwest corner of Bleecker and Downing sts. to the trustees, etc., of the Church of St. Benedict the Moor.

YOUTHFUL TILT-TAPPERS.
James T. Mackin, a twelve-year-old newsboy, on Thessiay evening entered the store of William R. Ward, No. 862 Broadway, and robbed the moneydrawer of \$80. He had been aided by William and

John Ryan, who also sell papers, and live at No. 15 Monroe-st. Soon afterward they were seen in a Bowery restaurant gorging themselves with a meal or dainties. They were arrested, and in the Tombs Police Court yesterday were committed to answer in default of \$500 bail each.

A MISSING SOUND FILOT.

Gilbert Horton, one of the best known of the Sound pilots, left this porton November 12, to take the bark N. B. Morris, bound to London, through Long Island Sound. The bark passed out of the upper end of the Sound on the following day, and Mr. Horton left her when ten miles out, jumping into his small boat as usual. Since then nothing has been heard of him, and it is believed that he was drowned. He was a widowee, age about sixty-five.

A CHILD PLAYING BUICHER,
William Ruboskie, age eight, and John Kirchshafer, age four, were playing together in a butcher
shop at their home, No. 315 Avenue-A, when William told John that if he would put his finger on
the chopping-block, he would chop it off for him.
Johuny compiled, and William amputated the
finger with a cleaver. He was arrested yesterday
and in the Yorkville Police Court Justice Power
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THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF MEDICAL TALKS.
The Rev. Dr. D. C. Fotter, pastor of the Sixth Street Baptist Church, concluded some time ago that his congregation would be pleased to hear "medical talks on health and happiness" one night each week. Last night he introduced Dr. L. Duncan Bulkley, who talked about the skin in health and disease, and told his hearers that there were 2,400,000 pores in the skin of a human body.

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A SPECIAL DAY AT THE INSTITUTE FAIR.

The American Institute Fair continues to attract crowds both afternoon and evening. To-day every lady who purchases a ticket of admission will be presented with a souvenir in the shape of a folding card covered in silk with a long fringe, tassel, and cord, and having two colored pictures inside. Conterno's 9th Regiment Band will render a special selection of music both in the afternoon and evening.

Not guilty of killing James Ryan,
Edward Buckholz, who was charged with killing
James Ryan, was tried yesterday in the Court of
General Sessions under an indictment for manslaughter. He was one of several persons in a barroom at Eighth-ave, and One-hundred-and-fortythird-st, on the night of October 7. In a light that
arose Ryan was killed by a blow with a beer-tap.
Buckholz was acquitted. William Bergan, who
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RUMOR OF AN EXPLOSION DENIED.

A report was circulated down-town last night to the effect that an explosion had occurred on Governor's Island, causing the death of several men. The captain of the boat running from the Battery to the Island said, at half-past 10 o'clock, the report was false. A telegram had been sent to General Hancock making inquiries about an explosion on the Island, the captain said, and General Hancock had replied that there had been no explosion there.

A WOMAN'S SKILL AS A PUGILIST.

Michael McCarthy, a waiter in the New-York Hotel, was before Judge Duffy yesterday, charged with abandoning his wife. The case was dismissed. Afterward Mrs. McCarthey met Thomas Barclay, one of her husband's witnesses, and slapped him on the check, and struck him on the nose—a good, sound blow. She was arrested and brought back to court, Barclay, with a bleeding nose, told his story, and Mrs. McCarthy was held in \$500 to answer the charge of assault and battery.

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SCHEAMING WHEN SENTENCED.

Martha Jasper, a mulatto who was convicted on November 16, in the Court of General Sessions, of stealing \$750 from John Longville, was sentenced vesterday by Recorder Smyth to five years in the Penitentiary. When the sentence was announced, the woman screamed and cried till she was carried out of the room by the court officers. When she was found guilty by the jury she said to Recorder Smyth: "Judge, I am innocent of this charge; but when I come out of prison I will become the most notorious their in Now-York."

most notorious thief in New-York."

THE FORGERS PLEAD NOT GUILITY.

William E. Brockway, Lewis R. Martin and Nathaniel B. Foster, who were recently arrested for forging Morris and Essex and Central Paeine Railway bonds, were arraigned yesterday before Recorder Smyth, in the Court of General Sessions. Each of them pieaded not guility to four indictments charging forgery in the first and second degrees. As Brockway has been previously convicted of a similar crime, he will be subject, if convicted of forgery in the first degree, to imprisonment for life. Brockway's trial was set down for November 27.

A HUSBAND'S BOVING SMILES CAUSE TROUBLE.

Mrs. Ella Porter, of No. 17 Cornelia-st., preferred
a charge of disorlerly conduct yesterday against
Miss Viola Lowndes, of the same address. Both
are colored, and the latter plays the organ in the
Waverly Place Raptist Church. Mrs. Porter
stated that Miss Lowndes was in the habit of
spitting upon her, which Miss Lowndes denied.
The latter declared that the whole trouble was that
Mrs. Porter was jealous because Mr. Porter had
several times favored her with glances that he did
not bestow on his wife. The young organist, however, was held in \$100 bonds to refrain from expectorating upon her neighbor for a month.

The Board of Aldermen met yesterday for the purpose of considering the provisional estimates for the maintenance of the departments of the City towernment for 1884. The Board went into committee of the whole, and after Alderman Fitzpatrick had been selected as chairman, took up the estimates as reported by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. Alderman Cochrane moved that the heads of departments be requested to attend the meeting of the Board and explain in detail the objects for which the appropriations were made. After this had been passed the Board adjourned until 10:30 a. m. on Friday.

A DRUNKEN MAN'S NEGLECT.

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Francis Haas was arraigned before Justice Gardner in the Essex Market Police Court yesterday. He was too drunk to stand a trial and was remanded until to-day. He lived at No. 210 Seventh-st, where his wife died of consumption on Saunday. Mrs. Haas had supported her three children by sewing, and when she died a few neighbors contributed enough money to enable Haas to pay the funeral expenses. On Monday he became intoxicated and left the little children in the room with the decemposing body of their mother. The children were sent to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, and the body was sent to the Morgae.

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DOINGS OF THE PAER COMMISSIONERS.

At the meeting of the Park Commissioners yesterday a request of the trustees of the American Museum of Natural History that the second floor of the Arsenal Building in Central Park might be used for the work of mounting specimens for the Museum as heretofore was granted. A request to spend the accumulated interest of the Museum's funds in the completion of the building was referred to the Corporation Counsel. It was decided that President Wales, of the Board, should lay before the District-Attorney the case of Charles Klotz, the butcher, of No. 1,412 Third-ave., who ran over Park Policeman Driscell when that officer was aftempting to arrest Klotz for fast driving in the park.

The continual blockade of cars in Fulton-st, calls out much complaint and demands some remedy.

A suit for absolute divorce has been brought by
Mrs. Ellis J. Hopkins against Peter C. Hopkins.

The new cars on the De Kalb Avenue Line are he handsomest cars in either New-York or Brook-

Many improvements are to be made at the Shee head Bay race-course before next season. The track will be made much wider and a mile and a furlong in length. The Rev. William C. Stiles, who recently took an

The Rev. the Rev. of the East Congregational Church, at Tompkins-ave, and Kosciusko-st. The explosion of a carbonic acid generator in the oda water factory of A. Hilenberg, at No. 150 reeman-st., at an early hour vesterday morning, larmed the neighborhood and did damage estimation.

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In the suit of Cuno T, W. Van Trotha, a news-nance resector, 75 recover \$50,000 as damages from the Long Island Railread Company, for personal injuries received by slipping from a car step cov-ered with ice in East New-York last winter, the jury rendered a verdict for \$7,500 as damages, yester-day, with an extra allowance to counsel of \$250. Seth L. Keeney, a contractor, has found that his bid of \$161,000 to extend the Third-ave, sewer from Twenty-eighth to Forty-ninth-st, is too small and he refuses to fulfil the contract. The contract has been given to J. P. Crawford, the next bidder, at \$179,256. Mr. Keeney and his sureties are held responsible for the difference in the figures.

A burglar was discovered in the ligures.

A burglar was discovered in the house of George Jackson, in East New-York, on Tnesday night by the servantgirl. He grabbed her by the throat, put a pistol to her head and said that he would kill her if she made a noise, or told who he was after he had gone. After he was gone it was found that a quantity of silverware had been stolen.

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Carl Mellenkoff, age 17, employed by his uncle, a baker, at No. 350 Kent-ave., hanged himself in the bakershop last evening. When found he was dead. The only reason which can be assigned for the act is despondency from failing to get a letter which he expected from Germany, whence he came fifteen months ago.

The Court of Associal has resident as the control of the court of Associal has resident.

the vote, Clark D. Rhinehart (Rep.) is given only 163 votes, whereas he should have 326, which would elect him over Thomas Kenna (Dem.) The canvassers are willing to correct the error, but the Aldermen refuse to allow it to be done.

JERSEY CITY. William Foster, of No. 340 Jersey-ave, went into the basement of his house on Tuesday night to look for a leak in the gas pipe. As he approached the metre an explosion occurred, and a lighted lamp which he carried in his hands was dashed to pieces. Mr. Foster was badly burned.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

LARCHMONT.—A brakeman employed on a freight train of the New-Haven Railroad came in contact with the bridge over the tracks and was instantly killed on Tuesday evening.

PLEASANTVILLE.—Abel Lewis had a revolver which he gave to his son, age about fifteen, in exchange for an old horse pistol which the latter possessed. On Monday evening the lad was found lying dead in the road near the Home for Destitute Children. It is supposed that while handling the revolver he had accidently shot himself. LONG ISLAND.

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LONG ISLAND CITY.—A benefit to "Pete" Maguire, an old-time pugilist, was announced for Tuesday evening at Singleton's Hall, and a number of New-York, Brooklyn and Hunter's Point fighters were to have appeared in friendly contests. Sergeant Carroll and six policemen, however, stopped the entertainment. The Long Island City authorities are determined to put a stop to all kinds of boxing and fighting exhibitions.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC Sun rises, 6.56; sets, 4:37 | Moon ris's 0:08 | Moon's age, ds. 23

HIGH WATER TO-DAY. A.M.—Sandy Hook, 1:36 Gov. Island, 2:18 Hall Gate, 4:07 P.M.—Sandy Hook, 2:01 Gov. Island, 2:43 Hell Gate, 4:32 FOREIGN STEAMERS DUE AT THIS PORT.

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SHIPPING NEWS, PORT OF NEW-YORK......WEDNESDAY, NGV. 21, 1883 ARRIVED. Steemer Rialto (Br), Abbott, Hull 23 days, with index to sanderson & Son.

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adas to Busk & Jerons.

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THE MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS. FOREIGN PORTS **
LIVERPOOL, Nov 21-Sailed, steamer Fennsylvania, Dodge

diadephia. Exstows, Nov 21—Arrived, steamer Helvetia (Br), Rog-on New-York Nov 10 on her way to Liverpool (and prosteamer Republic (Rr), Irving, from Liverpool hence

Salled, steamer Republic (Br), Irvins, from Liverpool factor New York.

20th, 10 p m-Arrived, steamer Marathon (Br). Wilay, from Boston Nov 10 on her way to Liverpool (and proceeded).

Bulstot, Nov 20-Salled, Steamer Liandaff City (Br), Welss, for New York.

SOUTHAMPTON, Nov 20-Arrived, Steamer Rhein (Ger), Neymaber, from New-York on her way to Bremen (and proceeded). Deven, Nov 19-Salled, steamer Holland (Br), Milligan, from London hence for New-York.

NEWCASTLE, Nov 21-Arrived, steamer Algitha (Br), Berwise, from New-Orloans Oct 27 on her way to Reval.

HAVER, Nov 21-Arrived, steamer Ganges (Br), Sper, from New-Orleans Oct 31.

Salled, steamer Moravia (Ger), Petzold, from Hamburg hence for New-York.

VERA CRUZ, Nov 19-Sailed, steamer City of Alexandria runnerman, for New York via Havana.

DOMESTIC PORTS.
POSTLAND, Nov 21-Arrived, steamer Quebec (Br), Liver pool.

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